

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 3831

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served October 11, 1991

Application of QUALITY TOUR )  
TRANSPORT, INC., for a Certificate )  
of Authority -- Irregular Route )  
Operations )

Case No. AP-91-33

By application accepted for filing on October 7, 1991, Quality Tour Transport, Inc. (Quality Tour or applicant), a Virginia corporation, seeks a Certificate of Authority to transport passengers, together with baggage in the same vehicle as passengers, in irregular route operations between points in the Metropolitan District.

Quality Tour proposes to initiate operations using two leased vehicles, one 1987 25-passenger maxivan and one 1991 31-passenger minicoach. Applicant's proposed tariff contains rates for hourly charter service and for transfer service.

Quality Tour's application for a Certificate of Authority includes, among other things, information regarding its corporate status, facilities, vehicle maintenance program, proposed tariff, finances, and regulatory compliance record. The application is available for inspection at the office of the Commission during its regular business hours.

In determining whether to grant or deny an application for a Certificate of Authority, the Compact at Title II, Article XI, Section 7, requires that the Commission determine whether an applicant is fit, willing, and able to perform that transportation properly and conform to the provisions of the Compact and the Commission's rules, regulations, and requirements and that the transportation is consistent with the public interest. Pursuant to Commission Rule No. 6, this order and fulfillment of its requirements will provide notice of Quality Tour's application for a Certificate of Authority.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That Quality Tour Transport, Inc., shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission, no later than Monday, October 21, 1991.

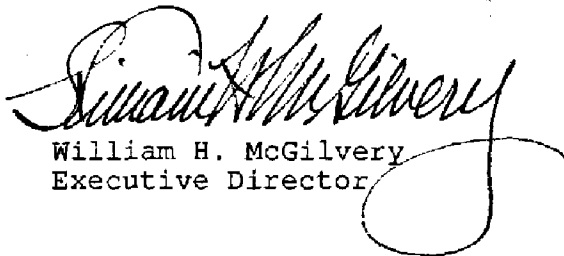
2. That Quality Tour Transport, Inc., shall file with the Commission, no later than Friday, November 8, 1991, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

3. That any person wanting to protest the issuance of a Certificate of Authority to Quality Tour Transport, Inc., shall do so in accordance with Commission Rule No. 13 and Regulation No. 54-04(a),

and any person wanting to comment on this matter, other than by protest, shall do so in writing, in accordance with Regulation No. 54-04(a), no later than Friday, November 8, 1991, and shall simultaneously serve a copy of such protest or comment on applicant's representative Jeremy Kahn, Esquire, 1726 M Street, N.W., Suite 702, Washington, DC 20036.

4. That any person seeking oral hearing on this matter shall request one in accordance with Commission Regulation No. 54-04(b) no later than Friday, November 8, 1991, and shall simultaneously serve a copy of such request on applicant's representative, Jeremy Kahn, Esquire, 1726 M Street, N.W., Suite 702, Washington, DC 20036.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



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Executive Director